

All About Horace

1. What is Horace's full name?

2. When was he born?

3. When did he die?

4. In what town was he born?

5. What is a freedman?

Homework

6. Instead of sending Horace to the local school, why did Horace's father send him to the school of Orbilius in Rome?

7. For college, Horace went to the most famous university during his time.
What was this university called? What did he study there?

8. At the age of twenty-one, after Horace ended his career as a student, what did he do?

9. Who was considered the greatest of the Roman poets?

10. How did Horace meet this great poet?

11. Which Roman Emperor did Horace become good friends with?

12. Horace did not write much poetry; he only wrote 4 Odes, 2 Satires, and 2 Epistles. Match the word with the appropriate definition.

Epistles, Odes, Satires

_____	Poetry that expresses emotional and personal feelings
_____	Poetry that mocks, or makes fun of, individuals and society
_____	Letters written in poetic form

13. Did Horace ever marry?

14. How old was Horace when he died?